DEATHS.

BELDSMEIER-March 14, 1962 at \$20 p. m., Cornella L. only remaining child of H. W. Beldsmeier and Hannah W. Beldsmeier (nee Schloemar), deceased, uged 21 years & months 4 Funeral from family residence, 221 North Market street, Monday afternoon, at 2 p. m. Friends and relatives invited to attend.

DRUDY—On Saturday, March 15, 1922, at \$:30 b'clock a m., Michael Drudy.

The funeral will take place Tuesday, March 18, Expaired 18 of senance such 1925 on Allon 9 at \$ o'clock a. m., from funeral rooms of Cullen Church, theree to Calvary Cemetery. Friends are invited to attend invited to attend.

Bloomfield, N. J., papers please copy.

TOO LATE FOR CLASIFICATION.

HOUSEGIEL WANTED-White girl for gen-bral housework, 451 Page ave. GIRLS WANTED-Three girls of neat appearance for dairy hinch counter. Masters & Son, 28 N. Seventh st.

WAITER WANTED-Experienced arm waiter or dinner work, 517 St. Charles, BOYS WANTED-Five bors; must be H years old. Columbia Box Company, Nineteenth and North Market sts.

HOSTLER WANTED-WASHINGTON Ave., HEL-Elegant, large, front and back rooms, well furnished, with tath; cheap rent.

FINNEY Ave., 4133-Neatly furnished second floor room; hat bath, gas and closet; terms 136 each per month. BT ANGE Ave. 130-Nicely furnished front Pooms; all conveniences; for two gentlemen. LINDELL Boulevard, 2519-Large, second-story at and other desirable rooms, steam heat lern conveniences; large yard; first-case ta-service; terms reasonable; references re-

TWO rugs and carpets; lowest values. Empire A COAL, wood, ice and express office, with HEAVY stake wagon and double set harness.

BEDROOM set, toilet set, matting, wardrobe, fron bed, folding bed, 3421 Olive st. HIG price paid for furniture, carpets feathers, old-style furniture, rosewood, painting, 3421 Olive st.

WANTED-A Perfection for shave; new or scondhand. D 127, Republic. PINE St., 3435-Nicely furnished room, with WAGONER Place, 4522-Nicely furnished rooms with board; detached house; all conveniences; peferences.

THIRTEENTH St., 100 S. - Elegantly fur-ished front and back parlor, for gentlemen, with r without board; baths; conveniences. PLUG draft horse, \$19; medium-size plug, \$10. Rear 1211 Choutenu ave. BLACKSMITHS, ETC. WANTED-Experi-enced blacksmiths and helpers. Moen Bros. Car-riage Co., Gano and McKisseck aves.

COOK-Situation by colored girl as first-class book. 1715 Lucas ave. LUCAS Ave., BE-Two connecting pariors, on first floor, with board; every convenience; \$5 per week.

FRANKLIN Ave., NS-Nicely furnished, large MORGAN, 2004-Room, with board, for gentle-nen, 415 per month; hall room, owns property. WESTE RELLER (168-Two connecting front rooms; nicely furnished; good board; references

WEST BELLE Place, 4199-Two desirable sec-end-story rooms, one single; with board; refer-ences exchanged. OLIVE St., 3148-Two large second-floor front rooms; elegantly furnished; for business men; superior accommodations; bath; well heated. STEWART Place, 1895-Four pleasant rooms, TWELVE-ROOM House-Furnished; good tran-sient trade; good reasons for selling. Y 127, Re-public.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Neat roung girl to masist in general work; small family; five-room flat; must be able to do washing; good home to good girl. 433A Easton. BKIRT AND WAIST MAKERS WANTED-Big inducement to 50 experienced skirt and waist makers; good pay and high-feed power machine all shop conveniences; steady work. A Rozen-feld Skirt and Waist Co., 819 Washington.

PRESSER WANTED — An experienced man presser for shirt waists; steady work and good ay. A. Rosenfeld Skirt and Waist Co., \$19 Washington ave.

BOY WANTED-With some experience to learn torseshoeing. 4543 Delmar

LARGE Garland, hard-coal stove, for laundry Rove, or what have you? 1999 Virginia ave. CARR, 1529-Neatly furnished front parlor, \$2.50 per week; also small rooms, \$1.25 and \$1.50. DOG-Lost, red Irish setter. Liberal reward for his return. 118 N. Twelfth st. NAL-Changes location by be patient. Sympathy.

WANTED—To sell on Monday and Tuesday enly, 55-pound sack Gold Medal flour, 12; 8 pounds golden Rio coffee, 11; 6 pounds Santo coffee, 11; 5 pounds of good Imperial tea, \$1.50; single pound, \$0c; pickled mess pork, 10c pound; best eating potatoes, 11 bushel; 20 pounds sait, 18c; best vinegar, 10c gallon, 802 N. Sixth. Kinloch A 1018.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general house rock; small family; good wages. 512: Fairmoun HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Half-grown white firl to assist with general housework; good home. HOUSEGIRL WANTED-A competent girl for peneral housework; no outside work. 5242 Del-

HOUSEGIRL WANTED-Girl for general house work. Apply at 543 Clemens ave. NURSE WANTED Good girl to care for baby; good home; good pay, 5973 Fairmount ave. WASHERWOMAN WANTED-German washweek; call to-day, 565 Kensington ave. CHOUTEAU Ave., 1125-Furnished rooms; from som for light housekeeping. room for light housekeeping.

ROOMMATE WANTED—For young lady, in private family; use of parlor; very reasonable.

6344A Lucky st.

LAUNDRESS—A first-class laundress wants haundry work in first days of the week; city ref-brence. 229 S. Jefferson ave. COMPANION-Position as commanion or tutor for children by cheerful lady of refinement. Y 127, Republic.

GIRLS WANTED-Ten girls for plain dress making. 1823 Market st. BOTTLER WANTED-An experienced bottler who understands running a small bottling shop; settled German with family preferred; steady po-sition. C 144, Republic.

COOK WANTED-Good cook. BOOTRLACK WANTED-A first-class bootblack, 817 N. Seventh at HORSE, wagon and harness for sale, cheap.

SEWING GIRLS WANTED—Muchine and hand girls on pants. 4222 Iowa ave.

METHUEN'S CAPTURE WAS BLOW TO BRITISH PRIDE.

Irritation Increased by Sarcastic Ref-Fact That Runaway Mules Stampeded Mounted Infantry.

BPECIAL BY CABLE TO THE NEW YORK HERALD AND THE ST. LOUIS REPUBLIC, London, March 15 .- (Copyright, 1902.)-Corbnation topics were quite driven out of mind this week for a time by the reverse in South Africa, involving the defeat and capture of

Africa, involving the defeat and capture of Lord Methuen, and the announcement that, owing to the unsettled condition of affairs in Ireland, the King had abandoned his proposed trip to the Emerald Isle.

Not since the early severe reverses of the war has any occurrence in South Africa made the British public set its teeth more firmly and more doggedly resolve to see this war through than has Methuen's capture.

While outwardly affecting indifference. Great Britain, by this defeat, has suffered a severe blow to her pride. The irritation is not lessened by the sarcastic comments of Continental journals, that dwell on the fact that some of the mounted Infantry were stampeded by runaway mules.

As to the King's giving up his trip to Ireland, the Nationalists profess to see in it a justification of their claim that Ireland is so badly ruled that the Government is afraid to allow the King to see the true conditions prevailing.

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In the House of Commons the Irish members have lately been very aggressive in debate upon all questions likely to embarrass the Government. Mr. Timothy Healy received an unexpected retort the other day when, in an impassioned peroration, he demanded, "What are we Irish members sent

In reply to which Mr. Johnson of Bally-kilbeg shouted from the Ministerial benches, "God only knows."

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Some amusement was caused by the appearance in the House of Commons, after the close of the debate just referred to of four men who carried a mysterious-looking apparatus, and proceeded to take samples of air in the House. One man blew air by means of bellows into a large glass receptacle, while the others fixed the apparatus in various parts of the House, in which a kind of jelly had been introduced for the purpose, it was said, of catching the microbes in the air. Certain members suggested that the species caught on this occasion would be particularly precoclous, as the Irish members had had a good innings.

TO-DAY'S NEWS IN BRIEF.

BUSINESS.

Yesterday's bank clearings were \$6.496.676; palances, \$1.412,543. Local discount rates were firm between 02 and 53 per cent, Domestic exchange was quoted as follows:
New York, 25c premium bid, 40c premium saked; Chicago, 20c premium bid, 30c premium asked; Chicago, 20c premium bid, 30c premium Pacific Returning Home From New Orleans, par bid, 16c premium asked. Wheat closed higher at 82c May, 8314@84c No. 2 red. Corn closed higher at 62% 262% obid May, 62% 21% o No. 2 mixed, Oats closed at 45c bid May, 47% 248c No. 2 Northern. The local market for spot cotton quiet and unchanged.

WASHINGTON. The position of Commissioner General of

Immigration has been tendered to Frank P. Sargest, chief of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen. The Republican "High Joint Committee" is still divided on the two propositions for relief of Cuba, one calling for a 29 per cent tariff reduction, the other for a 20 per cent

The House disposed of 229 private pension and military relief bills in 119 miutes, breaking all records. The resignation of First Assistant Postmaster General Johnson has been accepted, Mr. Johnson retires on account of ill health,

The Democrats of the House will caucus next Wednesday night to discuss the Boer War question. Brigadier General Funston lunched with the President at the White House. It is un-derstood be will not be returned to the Phil-ippines unless he so desires.

LOCAL AND SUBURBAN.

William T. Hickman, a prominent dealer on Merchants' Exchange, died yesterday. Business Men's League takes up project for the resurfacing of granite streets in the shopping district with asphalt. Sunday School Superintendent Haight of Alton says that children are untruthful be-

cause parents teach them to lie. The Vandeventer Bank, capitalized at \$100,000, to be located in the West End, is incorporated.

James H. Shepard of No. 5683 Delmar boulevard has been married five times, and his last wife is now suing for maintenance.

GENERAL DOMESTIC. A party of picknickers is hemmed in by fire for two days on Mount Cookson, in the Indian Territory. The body of former Governor John P. Altgeld of Illinois lies in state at Chicago,

and will be buried to-day. Lieutenant R. S. Hooker, who has just been ordered to the Philippines, will leave behind his young wife, who was one of those imprisoned in the legation at Pekin by the Boxers.

Customs officials capture two alleged smugglers of Chinese almost under the guns of Fort Worden, at Port Townsend. The trial of Dan Bowen at Bowling Green Mo., on a charge of killing Wright Gillum will not be given to the jury before Tues-

The Missouri Beta Chapter of Phi Delta Theta, at Fulton, Westminster College, unveiled a tablet in honor of the Reverend Robert Morrison, founder of the fraternity. Eastern Democratic leaders state that conditions are perfect for sweeping Demo-cratic victories, in the congressional elections this fail. An organized effort is to be made to capture the House.

Mrs. Addie Richardson testified in the Fife trial at Savannah, Mo., for the defense, the State having closed its case. She explained the relations existing between herself and the accused at the time of the killing of her husband.

Another body was taken from the Neches River at Beaumont, being the sixth victim of the gang of murderers and thieves exposed by the negro woman, Mattie Bennett The mother of Walter S. Brooks, for whose murder Florence Burns is under arrest, testified that she had heard the ac-cused girl threaten Brooks's life if he refused to marry her.

Young women of St. James's Church, Hoboken, are making a novena for husbands, with the approval of their paster. Carnegle has a "Library Day" and grants orty applications for libraries, among them being one of \$175,690 for Albany. This gift the philanthropist refers to as a small mat-

Professor Herron, is married to Doctor Berghall, an exiled Russian, and the couple will live in St. Louis. Bankers from many States meet in New York to perfect details for a system of in-terchangeable money orders, which will come in competition with those issued by

he Post Office Department. FOREIGN. The treaty for the sale of the Danish West Indies to the United States meets some opposition in the Danish Landsthing, but is likely to be ratified without recours

to a plebiscite. Ireland is ablaze with patriotism. The agitation for home rule is greater than it has been in many years, and the Nationalists

are hopeful of success. Methuen's defeat was a sore blow to British pride, though every effort is made to conceal it. One effect of the disaster may be to make Joseph Chamberlain Prime Min-

Cecil Rhodes's condition is reported from Cape Town to be extremely critical. Lady Methuen will return to South Africa to nurse her wounded husband.

The French elections are near at hand and the Government's success seems assured. President Loubet will visit the Czar of Russia about May 15. He will take to the Czar a gift in the form of a sword from clety of Retired Military and Naval Officers.

The newest and greatest orchid has been named the King Edward VII. Several Americans have received gifts from Emperor William and Prince Henry in token of appreciation for parts played in matters of importance to Germany.

SPORTING. The French racing opered yesterday, and American jockeys rode two firsts, three sec-

Lord Quex won the Crescent City Derby Vassal Dance was second and Prowl third, Siddons won the Thronton Stakes at four olles at Oakland, Lizella being second and Bangor third.

Marine Intelligence. Queenstown, March 15.—Arrived: Umbria, New York for Liverpool. Auckland, March 15.—Sailed: Sierra, from Sydney, New South Wales, San Francisco.

Bremen, March 15.-Sailed: Gera, New New York, March 15.—Arrived: St. Louis, Southampton and Cherbourg. Sailed: Meno-minee, London; Lucania, Liverpool; Preto-ria, Hamburg; Alier, Genoa; Statendam, Rotterdam; Anchoria, Glasgow; Breslau,

St. Vincent, C. V., March 15.-Arrived previously: Argyle, Portland, Ore. Singapore, March 15.—Arrived previously: Yangtse, Liverpool, for Seattle. Yokohama, March II.—Arrived previously:
Empress of China, Vancouver, for HongKong; Kinshiu Maru, Seattle, for HongKong; Olympia, Tacoma for Hong-Kong,
Shanghal, March II.—Sailed: Pack Ling,
from Seattle, for Liverpool. Antwerp, March 15.-Sailed: Friesland, New York.

Liverpool, March 15.—Sailed: Campania, New York. Queenstown, March 15.—Sailed: Ultonia, from Livetpool, Boston.
Cherbourg, March 15.—Sailed: Philadelphia, from Southampton, New York. Havre, March 15.-Sailed: La Touraine, New York. Hong-Kong, March 15.—Sailed: Strathgyle, Portland, Ore.; Victoria. Tacoma.

MAYOR WELLS AT WASHINGTON. Paid a Visit to President Roosevelt.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL Washington, March 15 .- Mayor Rolla Wells, who has been visiting his sister for two or three days, was among the White House callers to-day. He was accompanied by Representative Joy, who presented him to the President. The Mayor's visit was merely to pay his respects to President Roosevelt.

FRANK GOULD AND BRIDE IN ST. LOUIS

Pacific Returning Home From Bridal Tour.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jay Gould arrived in St. Louis yesterday evening, on their way to New York City from a bridal tour of the Southeast, the South and Southwest and the West. They were accompanied by General Manager Russell Harding of the Missouri Pacific-Iron Mountain, in whose car, the "St. Louis," they have been traveling

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They will remain in St. Louis to-day, ec-They will remain in St. Louis to-day, occupying the bridal chamber at the Southern Hotel. Last night they were entertained by Reid Northrup, president of the American Refrigerator Transit Company, who is Mr. Gould's coustn. To-day they are guests of Vice President C. G. Warner of the Missouri Pacific-fron Mountain and Mrs. Warner. Mr. and Mrs. Gould will depart for New York City to-merrow morning.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Gould were well pleased with the Southwest and West. All along the lines of the Gould system they stopped at small stations, water tanks, scenic points, terminals, etc., and rodo over completed new lines. Mr. Gould is first vice president of the Missouri Pacific.

president of the Missouri Pacific BIG FOUR DOES WITHDRAW. Other Lines Expected to Follow To-

REPUBLIC SPECIAL, REPUBLIC SPECIAL,

Chicago, Ill., March 15.—It is believed that the Central Freight Association, the pool of roads operating eastbound from Chicago, will be dissolved in a very short time. The Big Four road has given notice of withdrawal from the combination, and it is said that other important lines will take similar action Monday.

During the past two or three years the rate situation east of Chicago and west of Pittsburg and Buffalo has been under the absolute control of the Central Freight Association, which, by many, is believed to be the most flagrant violator of the anti-trust and interstate commerce laws in the country.

country. VICE PRESIDENT MURRAY DENIES.

Says He Will Not Become President of the Big Four.

Pittsburg, Pa., March & Oscar G, Murray, first vice president of the Baltimore and Ohio Railread Company, stated to day that there was nothing in the persistent rumors that he is going to accept the presidency of the Big Four. "I have no intention at the present time," said he, "of leaving the Baltimore and Ohio."

Concerning the reports of proposed changes in the traffic department of the Baltimore and Ohio, Mr. Murray said that the changes had not been fully decided upon, and he did not know when they would be ready to be announced.

"A reorganization of the whole traffic department is not contemplated," he said. the Big Four.

Another Railrond in Illinois.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL

Springfield, Ill., March Is.—Articles of incorporation were filed to-day with Secretary of State Rose by the Western Illinois Railway Company. Capital, \$190,000. The principal office will be at Galesburg. The purpose is to construct a line from Dahnida, in Knox County, through the counties of Knox, Stark, Marshall and Putnam. The incorporators and first Board of Directors are: L. B. Ouller, Chicago; G. C. Stebbins, Marsellies, Ill., and W. L. Lafferty, O. H. Holmes and C. W. Calkins, Galesburg, Ill.

Iowa and St. Louis Contract Let. Lowa and St. Louis Contract Let.
Chicago, March E.—Contract for the construction of the Iown and St. Louis Railway from Elmer, Mo., on the Santa Fe, to
a connection with the Iowa Central, near
Centerville, Ia., and the Chicago and Northwestern near Buxton. Ia., was to-day let
to William Kenefick of Kansas City, Mo.,
for completion by August 1, The road is
being built by the Gates-Lambert-Mitchell
interests.

Strikers Fight Pitched Battle. Missoula, Mont, March 15.—Sympathizers with the striking switchmen attacked nonunion switchmen here to-day and several shots from revolvers were fired, but no one was struck. Later the strikers themselves fought a pitched battle with the nonunionists, using coupling pins, rocks and clubs for weapons. Several were injured. Locally, the strike is believed to be over so far as the company is concerned.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL Metros Given. REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Metropolis, Ill., March 15.—Returns from
the Massac County Republican primary are all in and the result is the nomination of the following officers: County Judge, L. P. Oakes; Sheriff, U. El. Smith; County Su-perintendent of Schools, W. A. Spence; Assessor and Treasurer, W. R. Morgan; County Clerk, Sampel Atwell; County Com-missioner, W. D. Thompson.

Southwestern Bureau Situation. The Advisory Committee of the South-western Passenger Bureau met yesterday and adjourned to meet again Tuesday morn-ing, when it is expected the reply of the I. & G. N. will have been received. The membership of that road will save the or-cantization.

Lumber Order Is Rescinded.

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Houston, Tex., March 15.—Owing to the protest of the lumber shippers, the order recently made raising the minimum weights on lumber shipments from 20.000 to 40.000 pounds per car has been rescinded by the Southwestern roads. The order specially affected Texas, Louisiana and Arkansas, but incidentally affected the whole of the West and Mexico. It amounted to an increase in rates of about 12 per cent.

JUDGE & DOLPH ENTERTAIN.

Formally Receive Physicians and Chemists in New Home.

The Judge & Dolph Pharmaceutical Com-

The Judge & Dolph Pharmaceutical Company formally opened its magnificent store at No. 515 Olive street last night with an enjoyable reception to the medical profession of St. Louis and members of the Dringists' Club. During the evening some 200 guests were hospitably entertained. Messrs. Judge, Dolph and Wishart acted as hosts of the evening. Judge, Dolph and Wishart acted as hosts of the evening.

From 8 o'clock until shortly after 10 the guests were entertained with a general reception in the store proper. There an opportunity was given to inspect the perfix arrangement of the company's stock, fixtures and quarters. The prevailing opinion was that everything was without a flaw. In every department the most modern and improved things were found, and the drug department was pronounced as near perfection that skill and experience can attain. The company has been in business in St. Louis since 1831, first on Fourth street and later on Eighth and Locust streets. The entire seventeen years was spent in study of the best methods to bring its business to highest possible degree of efficiency. Its present building is built on ground leased for twenty years. Mr. Judge says that the structure is capable of housing any improvements which may develop in that time.

After thoroughly inspecting the store After thoroughly inspecting the store proper, the company went to the door above, where an elaborate supper —s served. Toasts were responded to by many of the most prominent physicians and chemists of St. Louis. Following the banquet was a clever vaudeville programme, all the numbers of which were received with generous applause.

SANGAMON COUNTY DEMOCRATS Instructions for Congressman Caldwell.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL Springfield, Ill. March 15.—The Democrats of Sangamon County held their primary election to-day, selecting delegates to atelection to-day, selecting delegates to attend the County Convention, to be held in this city next Tuesday. A large vote was cast all over the county. Instructions were given for Congressman Ben F. Caldwell for re-election in the new Twenty-first Congressional District; for George W. Funderburk for Appellate Clerk, and for Thomas Rees for State Senator in the new Forty-fifth Senatorial District.

A county ticket was selected as follows: For County Judge, George W. Murray; for Probate Judge, W. H. Colby; for County Clerk, Charles E. Opel; for Probate Clerk, John M. Pfeiffer; for Sheriff, Richard F. Kinsella; for Treasurer, Lee G. Metcaif; for Superintendent of Schools, harles Van Dorn.

Hopkins Lost at Olney. REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Olney, Ill., March 15.—At the Republican primary election, held in this county to-day, H. C. Faiconer, the unpledged candidate for the Legislature, defeated J. H. Faha, the Hopkins candidate, by nearly 100 majority, R. N. McCauley, E. A. Phillips, H. C. Ferriman and Amos Fritchey were selected delegates to the State Convention.

The following candidates for county offices are in the lead; Sheriff, Grant Alcorn; County Judge, W. T. Howe; County Clerk, K. Kinkalde; County Treasurer, William



OPENING

Phenomenal Bargains! You will find them on our shelves-not merely in our advertisement. Don't overlook these rare money-saving chances.

Dress Goods Department.

29-in. Wool Challies, with satin stripes, in plain and figured; worth 49c-Opening Sale Price..... 35c 40-in. Black Etamine, all wool, just the thing for spring wear; worth 75c-Opening Sale Price.... 39c 54-in. Breadcloth, in black and all colors; worth \$1.25 per yard-Opening Sale Price..... 89c 40-in. Cheviot Serge, black all-wool and good heavy-weight; worth 50c-Opening Sale Price. 45-6 46-in. Pruncila Cloth, black all-wool; a very handsome and dressy cloth; worth 31-25-Opening Sale 856

Dress Lining Department.

64x64 Slater Cambric; all colors; worth 50-Opening 26-in. Silecia Lining; 25c quality-Opening 26-in. Mercerized Lining; the 25c quality-Opening .19c

Silk Department. 19-in, Corded Wash Silks in all colors; worth 39c-19-in, Satin Foulard; just the thing for waists and Children's Dresses; worth 28c-Opening Saie Price. 24-in. Satin Foulards; the best quality and latest styles; worth \$1.00-Opening Sale Price...... 21-in, White China All Silk, worth Esc-Opening Sale Price. Sale Price... 23-in, Black Taffeta, woven guaranteed edge; the kind that always sells at \$1 per yard—Opening Sale Price... 23-in, Black Penu De Sole in a good heavy cloth; worth Sc-Opening Sale Price.

Wash Goods Department,

T-in, Satin Stripe and Plain Mercerized Ginghams in a well selected line of shades and patterns; worth 25c-Opening Sale Price..... 20-in. Batiste and Dimitles in all the latest spring cre-ations-Opening Sale Price.....



-- OPENING Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. Grand Display of the latest French creations in fine pattern hats. 1,000 Ready-to-Wear and Street

olce Monday A large variety of Shapes, made of Chiffon, Mull and Satin Braid, over wire frames, all shapes and combinations, worth \$1.25— 786

SPECIAL! For Monday only we will offer one lot of Flowers, consisting of Fine American Beauties and Crushed Roses, at the ridiculously low price of per

One fine assortment of Flowers,
French Roses, Silk Popples,
French Sprays, etc.,
worth \$1.60 to \$1.50-Opening Day LADIES Remember you are welcome to inspect our Hats and com-

Laces and Notions. 8,000 yards Fine Torchon Laces and Insertions, from 2 to 4 inches wide, regular 8 je and 10c values— 50 Monday, per yard. 125 yards Cream and White Allover Lace, for yokes and sleeves, 18 inches wide, regular 25c, 30c and 35c values—Monday, per yard 150

850 pieces of Featherbone Seam Cov-ering Braids, in all colors and solid white, 6 yards in a piece, regular The values—Monday, Fancy Goods Dept.

in all shades, regular 4c value, Monday, per skein. 50 dozen of fine Spachtel Doylles, size 9x9, round and square, regular 19c value, Monday

5 dozen of fine Spachtel Doylies, size 12x12, round and square, regularly value, Monday 81, each.

Remnants on Sale in the Domestic Dept.

Remnants of yard-wide Bleached Mus- | 9-4 Brown Sheeting, worth 120 lin, in 5 and 10 yard lengths-Monday, per yard.....

Remnants of best yard-wide Brown Muslin, Monday, yer yd.

SPECIAL VALUES FOR MONDAY.

25c 43c 69c .25c 25c 10c

PHENOMENAL SUCCESS in the Opening of Our New

TEA AND COFFEE DEPT.

To Introduce the Celebrated Empress Teas and Coffees

We will give away FREE for this, our spring opening week, one pound of Empress Mocha and Java Coffee to each purchaser of one pound of Empress Brand 50c Tea at 49c a lb. Valuable coupons in each pound of tea. Gold Bowl Souvenir Spoon of the Pan-American Exposition in each package of Coffee.
MAIL ORDERS PROMPTLY FILLED.



15c Granite Dish isc Garden Sets, consisting of rake, hoe and spade, good size.....

18-in.

ife Cotton Floor Mops, large

Were.....

Bird Cages, special—75c kind, 55c; 85c kind, 65c; \$1.00 kind,.... 75c About 250 assorted sizes and colors Jardinieres - were Tic, 89c and \$1.25-your choice, while they last, Monday..... 59c Shelf Paper, assort-ed colors, 10-yard pieces, 5c

10c

Specials in Trunk Department.

20-in. 22-in. 24-in 26-in. sizes. 75c

Men's Underwear, Hosiery

New White Goods. New White Goods, Checks, Stripes and Plaids, worth 75c. 50 Mercerized White Pique, sold usually at 39c, Monday..... 50-inch Paris Muslins, sold else-where at 50c, Monday, yard...... 350

1.583 skeins of Fine Embroidery Silk,

Remnants of Challie Lawns, Monday, per yard......

New Spring Wash Goods. Imported Madras Shirtings, were 20c and 18c. Monday 12½6
Dimity Lawns in figures and stripes, Monday, per yd. 7c and 5c

A new line of Men's Soft Bosom Shirts in Percale and Madras; worth \$1.60 and fice-Monday at, each, 49c Men's fine Shield, Band, Teck and Fourin-hand Tles; in all the new and latest designs; worth 75c and 50c each—Monday they go at 65c 25c Men's Heavy Ribbed Balbriggan Shirts Men's Heavy Ribbed Baleringan Stripe; and Drawers in plain and fancy stripe; worth 69c-Monday at. 49c Men's light-weight Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers in brown, blue, cream and striped; worth 350— 256 Ladies' Underwear and Hoslery.

and Furnishings.

Monday we place our complete line of

new spring goods on sale. Here are a few specials. Call and inspect them,

A handsome line of Men's Fine Madras Soft-Bosom Shirts in Stripes and figures; worth \$1.50 \$1.25

Complete line of new spring goods on sale Monday. Styles, quality and prices right. Call and see them, Ladies' Fancy Cotton Under pink, blue and white; all sizes; worth 19c; Monday, each...... Ladies' Fancy Cotton Hose in neat figures and stripes; all sizes; worth 35c and 25c pair—Monday at, pair, 25c and

25c and 10C Laddes' fine Imported Hose in silk and liste thread in the very latest designs and shades; worth 85c pair—65C Monday at, pair.

Cummins; County Superintendent E.

Hopkins Won in Clark. Hopkins Won in Clark.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Marshall, Ill., March 15.—The Republican township primaries to select delegates to the County Convention were held in this (Clark) county to-day. The County Convention will be held Monday and will select delegates to the Senatorial, Congressional and State conventions. The principal contest was for instructions for Representative, and D. B. Miller of Casey, a Hopkins man, won in a majority of the townships and will receive the instructions.

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No. 3734—Colored Chiffon and Cuban Braid, mixed in black, white and col-ored—the Congress, Continental and Gibson shapes—

Pat. P. 199-Fine Turban effect, made of Silk Mull, Mousseline and Tinseled Straw Cloth, elaborately trimmed with Frunch roses, reg-ular price \$5.59-

with French roses, reg-ular price \$5.50— OPENING DAY ONLY.. \$2.98

60 Chiffon Mousseline and Silk Mull Trimmed Hats, made up in all the latest styles and shapes, worth reg-ularly St. H and 55-for 8 days during Open-

Linens.

29c Half Bleached Lines Damask

Se Heavy Full Bleached Linen Dam

Hemstitched Linen Damask by the

Monday we sell our \$2.50 Marseilles Bed Spreads \$1.69

Turkey Red Damask, 60 inches wide,

Turkey Red Fringed Table Covers, 3-yard sizes, worth \$1.25— 790 Monday

Our Se Bed Spread is full size Mar-sellies patterns-Monday, 590

Turkish Towels, yard and a half long full napped—

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REPUBLIC SPECIAL.
Wenona, Ill., March 15.—Wenona Repub

Beans to-day nominated the following ticket: Town Clerk, M. S. Street; Assessor, Thomas Gants; Collector, John Lindgren; School Trustee, Austin Garvin; Commissioner of Highways, Walt Wilson; Constable, A. Kennedy. Cennedy.

Democratic ticket: Town Clerk, David Stater: Assessor, George Bethard; Col-lector, Fred Whiting; Commissioner of High-ways, Perry Judd; Trustee of Schools, Ash-ley Judd; Constable, Ed Burress,

Republican Primary.

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REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Bement, Hi., March 16.—The Republican primary was held here to-day, nominating the following officers: Supervisor, Charles Ackins; Clerk, L. F. Holland; Assessor, Dan Hall; Collector, Harvey Fay; Commissioner, Thomas Cook; Constable, Jeff Dye; Justice, W. W. Hammond; Central Committeeman, W. W. Hammond. Visitors at Hot Springs. REPUBLIC SPECIAL Hot Springs, Ark., March 15.—The follow-ing visitors registered at the Mermod & Jaccard Hot Springs branch to-day: Mr. F. A. Sieber, Witiam Liftenfield, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Elsendrath, Chicago: Doctor C. Del-gray, St. Louis; Mrs. L. Brummel, Cairo; Mr. H. H. Youree Shreveport; Miss S. K. Youree, Shreveport.

Illinois Court of Appeals. EEPUBLIC SPECIAL.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Mount Vernon, Ill., March 15.—The following were the proceedings in the Appellate Court. Fourth District, 10-day:

St. Louis, Terre Haute and Vandalla, Raitroad Company, et al., va. Town of Vandalla, appearation Bond Circuit Court; avgued crally on case; from Bond Circuit Court, avgued crally on case; from by appeals of Indianapolis for appealants and by Charles W. Thomas of Believille for appealies; taken under advis ment; mettion to diamites and counter suggestions taken with case.

Taylor et al., vs. Seiter et al.; appeal from St. Clair; metion by appellants for appeal to Supreme Court granted; bond of \$100 to be filed within twenty days.

Combination Ticket.

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REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Alhambra. Ili. March 15.—A union convention this afternoon nominated the following candidates: Iown Clerk, Aden Pearce and John Wetzel; Assessor, William Doerge, Nelson Ryder, Fred Ingnander; Collector, W. C. Keown, Gus Wisnaski, Henry Isenberg; Highway Combinson, T. John Bender, Albert Brensing; Constable, Fred Dauderman; School Trustee, Herman Mindrop.

Ticket Named. REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Assumption, Ill., March 15.—At the town-ship Democratic primaries the following of-ficers were noimnated: Central Committee-men, John Debrun and M. C. Lawless; As-sessor, George Hutchinson; Collector, J. Debrun; Commissioner of Highways, Ed Royer. Golden Wedding Anniversary. REPUBLIC SPECIAL.
Shawnee, Ok., March 15.—Mr. and Mrs.
Peter Dunbar, residents of this city, to-day
celebrated their golden wedding anniversary. A large number of friends and relatives were present. The couple were married half a century ago in Bourbon County.

Kentucky. Four years later they took up their residence at Columbia, Mo., and from thence to Carroll County. Missourt, In 1879 they moved to Texas, and from there five years later, to the Indian Territory. Eight years ago they became citizens of Shawnee, Mr. Dunbar's grandfather was a Revioutionary solder and belonged to Washington's army. Eleven children were born of the union, nine of whom are yet living.

City Ticket Named.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Washington, Mo., March 15.—The Democrats of this city at their convention tonight nominated the following ticket for the city election, Tuesday, April 1. Mayor, Henry Sullentrup; Marshal, Gus Filla; Collector, Joe Remstedt; Assessor, Ed Wellenkamp; Treasurer, E. C. Stewart; City Attorney, J. H. Menhennick; for Alderman, First Ward, Aug. Laumann; Second Ward, Henry Fisher; Third Ward, F. J. Mauntel; Pourth Ward, G. H. Pike.

Perry County Named Him for

State Superintendent.



boy don't get a Cascaret he'll be a sick boy all over. Too much of a good thing! That's what we are all liable to take. Grown up, sensible people will some-times do it and make themselves sick. "In time of peace prepare for war," and have about the house a pleasant, perfect, palatable, positive medicine for sour stomach, sick headache, colic, winds, belching, biliousness, furred tongue, lazy liver, constipation, bad breath, bad taste, all liable to result from over-indulgence in the good things of life. Cascarets Candy Cathartic are what you want. Eat and drink what and as much as you please. A tablet after a big meal will prevent sickness, or a tablet at night before going to bed, after a good time, will fix you

all right for morning, and let you get up clear as a bell, ready for business or pleasure.

Poor Little Sick Stomach It's over-loaded; that's what's the matter, and if this

State Superintendent.

Pinckneyville, Ill., March 12.—Perry County Republicans, in convention here to-day, launched the candidacy of Walter R. Kimzey for nomination for State Superintendent of Public Instruction. H. W. Adams, George Robb, G. F. Mead, Elmer Brown, Clarence Blakeslee and Walter Parks were selected delegates to the State Convention, uninstructed, except as to Professor Kimzey's candidacy.

Twenty-two uninstructed delegates were chosen to the Forty-fourth District Senatorial Convention at Sparta, May 7. No instructions were given. Saline County Primary.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Elderado. Ill. March 15.—The Republicans of Saline County held a primary election to-day. A full vote was polled and conisderable interest taken. Eldorado Township gave majority as follows: Member of General Assembly, James B. Black-